

Urban and Industrial Runoff Actions

Priority Actions

Action 19. Reduce urban and industrial constituent loadings through provision of incentives for additional source control of urban and industrial runoff. An example of an incentives might be to provide rebates on construction permit fees when erosion control measures have been applied.

Action 20. Reduce urban and industrial constituent loadings through better planning of new developments to reduce urban and industrial runoff. Examples of better planning might include design of storm drainage systems that target maximum infiltration of stormwater into the ground or on-site or regional stormwater sedimentation facilities that detain the majority of stormwater for at least 8 hours.

Action 32A: Provide incentives for pesticide users to increase implementation of best management practices (BMPs) including integrated pest management (IPM) to reduce pesticide loads and concentrations from urban & industrial runoff.

Other Actions

Action 17: Reduce urban and industrial constituent loadings to the Delta by detention and strategic release of 20 to 30 percent of runoff water. Action would involve retrofitting existing urban and industrial areas with detention basins at the outlets of drainage basins contributing largest loadings of parameters of concern.

Action 18: Reduce urban and industrial constituent loadings through enforcement of existing source control regulations for urban and industrial runoff. Measures may include use of real economic penalties.